simple and forceful English was not a feature of the several attempts of the early translators of the Bible. "However the simple sentences of the Hebrew language and a sense of their divine mission enabled them to overcome this handicap and avoid the long words and complex sentences of the English, their then contemporaries."

"There is a quaintness to the Bible," said Dr. Forrest, "that adds much to its value as literature. The Hebrew language was short of adjectives and for these the translators substituted prepositional phrases, following the original. The Bible owes much of its literature to the fact that it was translated in the spacious times of the great Elizabeth.

Dr. Forrest's final lecture, "The Literary Influence of the English Bible," was delivered in his usual forceful and charming manner. In the discussion of why the influence of the English Bible was fact was brought out that the first book, the Gothic, in Anglo-Saxon, in Middle English, in Modern English, respectively, was the Bible. "The Bible was at the beginning of things. The deep seriousness of the Anglo-Saxon and its interest in religion and morality, in that respect akin to the Hebrew, have always made the Bible the world's best seller." Quotations, allusions and hints to the Bible throughout our literature, always strike a responsive note in the English breast. For the stylist, God's Book has the range of world economy without sacrifice of music, force, or beauty. It teaches truthfulness of style, the opposite of exclamatory, extravagant writings. Since 'the style is the man,' a supreme model in the art of writing is the book that inspires, elevates, ennobles man, the Holy Bible.

WYMAN SPEAKS AT
Y. M. C. A. MEETING

Moral Preparedness in Army
Life Subject of Address

Dr. Marion A. Wyman addressed the Y. M. C. A. last Wednesday evening at its regular meeting at 7:30. His subject was "Moral Preparedness in Army Life." Dr. Wyman was eloquently qualified both by training and experience to speak on this subject, having served as a surgeon in the United States Army.

Dr. Wyman was delightfully informal. He began by showing that a moral, physical stand-point morality and clean living were absolutely essential. He made a strong appeal for clean living because of future generations.

The speaker asked the question, how can college men all in this matter? He pointed out in answer, that students who join the army or navy can help by their example; and second, we can aid by helping to remove the temptations; and third, their prayers and personal friendship with Jesus Christ.

The meeting to night will be addressed by Prof. Hand. His subject will be "Teaching as a Life Profession." This promise to be one of the best meetings of the year, as Prof. Hand has given practically all his life to work connected with the teaching profession.

All those intending to go to Blue Ridge in June are requested to hand in their names. Thirteen or fourteen have already declared their intention of going. Any others will be welcomed. You can't afford to miss it.

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